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SUBJECT: INFORMATION ON ACTIVITIES OF JOAO BERNARDO VIEIRA
NEW PRINCIPAL COMMISSIONER (PRIME MINISTER) OF G.B.

1. EMBASSY WOULD APPRECIATE ANY INFORMATION YOU MIGHT
BE ABLE TO PROVIDE ON ACTIVITIES OF JOAO BERNARDO
VIEIRA (NINO) COMMISSIONER (MINISTER) OF DEFENSE AND
COMMANDER OF THE ARMED FORCES OF GUINEA-BISSAU.
HE WAS RECENTLY SELECTED AS PRINCIPAL COMMISSIONER
(PRIME MINISTER) AFTER THE ACCIDENTAL DEATH OF THE
PREVIOUS INCUMBENT.

2. VIEIRA HAS BEEN IN CUBA SINCE LAST FALL REPORTEDLY
RECEIVING ADVANCED MILITARY TRAINING. A RETURNEE FROM
THE YOUTH FESTIVAL INFORMED US THAT VIEIRA IS
LIVING IN HAVANA AND FETED THE GUINEA-BISSAU DELEGATION
IN HIS HOME.
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